the residents; and if not, the reasons therefor; and

(d) whether any supervision is maintained on the staff posted for such duty to make them accountable; if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF URBAN AFFAIRS & EMPLOYMENT (SMT. SHEILA KAUL): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Yes, Sir.

(c) All efforts are made for performing this duty to the satisfaction of the residents.

(d) Yes, Sir. The work is being supervised at various levels i.e. by the Choudhary, Sectional officer (Horticulture), Asstt. Director of Horticulture and Deputy Director of Horticulture.

Rajasthan's Share in Ganga Flood Waters

*164. SHRI SHIV CHARAN SINGH:
SHRI RAMDAS AGARWAL:

Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware that Rajasthan has since long been claiming its share in flood waters of Ganga;

(b) if so, whether the Central Water Commission has so far processed/assessed the water requirement of Rajasthan in consultation with the concerned authorities/technical experts; and

(c) the present stage of water supply and the action taken by Central Water Commission, on Rajasthan Government's requests dated 10th May, 1993 and 4th July, 1994 to share from Ganga water and to State's share in Inter-State waters, as per Chief Minister's requests of 30th June, 1994 and 7th October, 1994 and the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES AND PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI VIDYACHARAN SHUKLA): (a) Rajasthan has been asking for diversion of some flood waters of Ganga for use in that State.

(b) Central Water Commission so far has not processed/assessed the water requirement of Rajasthan.

(c) As directed by Ganga Flood Control Board, Central Water Commission carried out a study to assess the surplus flood water of Ganga at Raiwala and Narora. The study revealed that sufficient water was not available in river Ganga ex-Naiwala or Ex-Narora for more than 20-30 days in a year for divesion to Rajasthan.

Government of Rajasthan vide letters dated 10th May, 1993 and 4th July, 1994, had requested Central Water Commission to conduct further studies with the help of data to be furnished by Uttar Pradesh. Central Water Commission had been pursuing the matter with Uttar Pradesh for expediting the supply of relevant data.

Rajasthan Chief Minister's letters of 30th June, 1994 and 7th October, 1994 are regarding Rajasthan's share in surplus Ravi-Beas waters. Inter-State agreement, 1981 on surplus Ravi-Beas water provides that out of Rajasthan's share of 10.608 BCM (8.6 MAF), 0.74 BCM (0.6 MAF) would be made available to Punjab till Rajasthan is in a position to use all the water allocated to it. As per the progress by Rajasthan only 12% area is being irrigated in Indira Gandhi Nahar Project Stage-II against the total planned area of 9.50 lakh ha. Hence restoration of 0.74 BCM (0.6 MAF) to Rajasthan does not arise at this stage.

स्टील शिप ब्रेकिंग और कास्टिंग इकाइयां स्थापित करने का प्रस्ताव

*165. श्री अनन्तराय देवशंकर दवे: क्या इस्पात मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

(क) क्या मैटल स्क्रैप ट्रेडिंग कारपोरेशन मुम्बई और काण्डला में स्टील शिप ब्रेकिंग और कास्टिंग इकाइयां स्थापित करने का विचार रखती है;

(ख) यदि हां, तो तत्संबंधी ब्यौरा क्या है;

(ग) क्या इस प्रयोजनार्थ किसी भूमि का अधिग्रहण किया गया है; और

(घ) यदि हां, तो तत्संबंधी ब्यौरा क्या है?

इस्पात मंत्रालय के राज्य मंत्री (श्री संतोष मोहन देव): (क) जी, नहीं।

(ख) से (घ) प्रश्न नहीं उठते।